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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25TH, 1876

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PRICE \$25 PER MONTH.

#### Arrivals.

February 24, Diomet, British str., 1,201, Jackson, Liverprol 30th December, Port Said 16th, Suez 18th, Penang 11th February, and Singapore 16th, General.—Burrenvield & Swide. February 24, Leonoe, Spanish str., 408, L. Dias, Takao 22nd February, General -

D. LAPBAIE & Co. February 24, Nouna, British str., 606, A. B. Walker, put back, General Kwox

February 24, ESMERALDA, German bark, 788, P. Hanson, Cardiff 14th October, Coals. -MELCHERS & Co. February 24, ARRATOON APCAR, British str., -SIEMSSEN & Co.

February 24, MENELAUS, British str., 1,659; R. S. Crompton, Shanghai 20th Feb., and Amoy 23rd, General BUTTHEFIELD & SWIRE.

## Clearances.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. FEBRUARY 24TH.

Rajah, str., for Swatow.

Canaan, for Manila. Departures.

February 24, DJEMNAH, str., for Saigon and Marsoilles. February 24, Asie MINEURE, for Saigen

# Passengers.

Per Diomed, str., from Liverpool, &c. :-Mr. Oscar Nordt and 480 Chineao. Per Menelaus, etr., from Shanghai, &c. :-Mrs. Woudel and Mr. H. F. Dent, and 750

Per Arratoon Apcar, str., from Saigon :-1 Chinese.

Per Djemnah, str., for Saigon & Marseilles For Saigon.-Sisters Candida and St. In. sier, and Mesers. Laryon and Leguelbe, and Chinese. For Singapore. - Mr. H. R. Dawson and 3 Chinese. For Naples .- Mr. and Mrs. Hayllar. For Marseilles. -Mr. and Mrs. Erach temberg and 4 children, Mr. and Mrs. Brunst, children, and servant, Commander Descharmes Mesers, J. W. Danielson, Morejon, Bernard Harold, J. Walter, Thomas Brown, King and servant, and John Bure.

Per Rajah, atr., for Swatow:-100 Chinese.

### Reports.

The Spanish eteamship Leoner reports left Takno on 22nd February, and had fine weather

The British steamship Menelaus reports left Shanghai on 20th February, and Amoy on the 28rd, and experienced moderate and fine weather throughout.

The British steamship Norna reports from Hongkong on 22nd instant for Swatow. strong Northerly winds and thick weather. Having an accident to machinery off Pedro Branco. puts back under sail! Anohored off Green Island on the evening of the 23rd, all well.

The British steamship Arratoon Apear reports left Saigon on 19th February. Had fine weather and moderate monsoon to the Paracels from thence to port strong N.E. gales with OHINA AND JAPAN MARINE INSURbeavy bead sea. Passed the German bark Cap. Hom off the Paraceis, bound South

The British steamship Diomed reports left again on the 19th; arrived at Penang on 11th Hongwong and Shanghai Banking Con- GRAPHS, ENGRAVINGS. February, and left again on the 12th sarrived at PORATION, Shanghai. 16th. First part had light N.N.E. winds and of the Scrip for endorsement at the Head Office fine weather; after which had strong N.E. and on and after the 19th inst. N.N.E. winds and thick, cloudy weather. On By Order of the Liquidators, 19th February, in lat. 9.40 N. and long. 109.00 By Order of the Liquidators, JOHN East, passed the British ship Carrick Castle; steering South. On same day, passed a Russian man-of-war, going South.

Vessels that have arrived in Europe from Ports in China, Japan and Manila. (Per last Mail'a Admice

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Vessels Expected at Hongkong. (Corrected to Date.)\_

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LAND, ORAWFORD & Co. At 12 noon.

Sundry Goods. STORAGE.

session on lat March next. Apply to

1m 155 Hongkong, 4th February, 1876. MILLAR AND CO. A. HUUSE, SHIP, AND STEAMBOAT PLUMBERS,

COPPERSMITHS, and BRASSFOUNDERS, I, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST AND NULLAH LANE. [Feb. 3

TATASSIAMULL DHURRUMDASS. CASHMERE and INDIA MERCHANT. Has for Eale, Cashmere Sharls, Morning

No. 80, QUEEN'S ROAD, Next to Messre. BAYLE & Co., Hongkong. 6m 1887 24th December, 1875.

### Intimations.

THE Undermentioned BANKS will OLOSE for Public Business at Twelve o'clock Noon TO-DAY and TO-MORROW, the 25th Prays, and 26th inst.

GEO. O. SCOTT. Acting Manager, Hongkong, For the CHARTEBED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA. H. H. NELSON.

Manager, Hongkong. For the CHARTEBED BANE OF INDIA, AUS-TRALIA, AND CHINA. THOMAS FORREST. Acting Manager, Hongkong.

Manager: For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking CORPORATION. JAMES GREIG. Chief Manager.

For the National Bank of India, Limited. B. H. SANDEMAN, Acting Manager: 4d 250 Hongkong, 22nd February, 1876.

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Yearly MEETING of the THE Undersigned has received instruction Shareholders will be held at the Office of the Company, Club Chambers, on MONDAX Public Auction, on the 28th February, at 3 P.M., for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts to Slat | the 28th day of February, 1876, at Noon at his December, 1875, the Report of the Directors, for the election of Directors and Auditors; also to declare a Dividend.

D. GILLIES, 15d 208 Hongkong, 12th February, 1876.

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE.

ETHE Transfer Books of the Company w instant, both days included By Order. D. GILLIES.

204 Hongkong, 12th February, 1876. HONGKONG AND OHINA BAKER! COMPANY, LIMITED.

Road, on THURSDAY, the 2nd March proximo, at & P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1875, and for the election of a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., General Managers. 18d 207 Hongkong, 14th February, 1876. Hongkong and shanghai banking

CORPURATION. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

I'VHE DIVIDEND declared for the half-year ending on 31st December last, at the rate of Six per cent. per annum, say \$3.75 per paid. on pp Share of \$125, is payable on and after FRIDAY, the 18th instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants. By order of the Board of Directors.

JAMES GREIG. Chief Managor. tf 237 Hongkong, 17th February, 1876. ANCE COMPANY, IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. Liverpool on 30th December; arrived at Port ON and after the 24th January, a FIRST FONIER and Japanese CABINETS, Hand-Said on 16th January, and left again on the DIVIDEND of Fifty Tack (Tis. 50) per some Mantel-piece MIRRORS. 17th; arrived at Sacz on the 18th, and left | Share will be PAYABLE at the Offices of the

Singapore on the 14th, and left again on the .- Warrants will be delivered upon presentation

Acting Secretary 63 Shanghai, 4th January, 1876. LAIVE HOUSES for SALE, Nos. 7, 9, 1 13, and 15, SHIP STREET, Wanchai.

For Particulars, apply to House Agent, 9, Hellywood Road 73 Hongkong, 14th January, 1876.

St. John's Place. Apply to

S. E. BURROWS & CONS. 653 Hongkong, let May, 1875. NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY

THE Undersigned, Agents at Hongkong to Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandiss in the same. at the usual rates, subject to a discount of Twenty per cent. (20 %) GILMAN & Co.,

THE Undersigned Agenta are in receipt of instructions from the Board of Directors. authorizing them to issue Policies to the extent of £10,000 on any one Pirst-class Risk, or to the extent of \$215,000 on Adjoining Risks at CLOAKS. TABLE and OHAIR COVERS. Durrent Rates.

A Discount of 20 % allowed. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Agents for the above Company at Hong. kong, Cantoa, Foochow, Shanghai, and Han-

kow and are prepared to grant Insurances at Current Rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. tf 1958 Hongkon z. lath October, 1868. PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

Agents to the above Company at this Pert, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings or prising on Goods stored therein.

DOUGLAS LAPBAIR & Co. ef 717 Hongkone. 9th November, 1869 THE UHINA FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG. China and Japan. and at Singapore, Saigon and Penang.

above-mentioned Ports. No charge for Policy fees. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, V Hougkong, lat November, 1871 [Lf 885] Auctions.

T ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will Sell by

Public Auction, in their Bale Rooms. THIS DAY, the 25th February, 1876, at Noon,-

BLERS, PADLOOKS, SEALING WAX, HEARTHRUGS, AUCORDIONS. 20 Picula IRON WIRE. 30 Kegs OUT NAILS, sizes 15 to 25 inch. 10 Drams TURPENTINE. 1 GAZOGENE APPARATUS, complete.

Bottles. 30 SYPHONS, with large Levers. OLD TOM.

SUBSTANTIAL ENGLISH & COLONIAL MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. ENGRAVINGS, GLASSWARE, PLATED

from JOHN G. SMITH. Esq., to Sell by

The whole of his Substantial English and Colonial-made HOUSEHOLD FURNITURI comprising :-- Drawing and Bedroom SUITES GLASSWARE, PLATED WARE, Dinner. Dessert, and Breakfast SETS, ENGRAVINGS PIER GLASSES, GASALTERS, GA TAINS and CORNICES, Marble-top TABLES, BOOKCASE, DINING TABLE, SIDE. BOARD, WHATNUTS, CHAIRS, IRON BEDSTEADS, TOILET TABLES, WASH STANDS and SERVICES, &c., &c.

A COTTAGE PIANO. Catalogues will be issued. TERMS OF SALE .- Cash before delivery in J. M. ARMSTRONG.

220 Hongkong, 15th February, 1878. FURNITURE SALE.

ELEGANT ENGLISH AND CANTON MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

GRAND PIANO.

PARK PHÆTON AND PAIR OF PONIES. A FINE COLLECTION OF

CHOICE PLANTS. ANE. ORAWFORD & Co. have received

TUESDAY, the 29th February, 1876, at Noon, at "DUART," CAINE ROAD.

I instructions to Sell by Public Auction,

the Residence of the Hon. T. O. HAYLLAR,-

CENTRE TABLES, Mahogany Marone Morocco Covered COUCHES and OHAIRS Carved Bombay Blackwood COUCHES and FLOWER STANDS, Inlaid Ormola CHIF

OIL PAINTINGS, CHROMO-LITHO-CARPET, WINDOW CURTAINS, Gile CORNICES, GASALIERS, AQUARIUMS, Bronze and Porcelain VASES.

NOTS, CHAIRS, CLOCKS, Placed CANDLE.

Handsome Gilt BRASS BEDSTEAD with third. The winner coming in easily with hands FEATHER MATTRESSES, BUREAU with down. Time 2 min. 134 sec. MIRROR, WARDROBES, CHESTS of DRAWERS, Marble-top WASHSTANDS, Toilet GLASSES, Cheval GLASSES, IRON

Sons, made expressly to stand this Climate. One 4-Wheeled PARK PHATON. LENNI, with a Pair of WHITE PONIES, and Double Set SILVER MOUNTED HARNESS.

Ladica' and Gentlemena' SEDAN CHAIRS, Mr. Henry's Poisson d'Avril...... The CARRIAGE and Ponies and the Plants Mr. Sydney's Le Cerf Agile..... Oatnlogues will be issued prior to the Sale,

the 28th February, 1876. chaser's risk on the fall of the hampier. 210 Hongkong, 14th February, 1876.

MULL to Sell by Public Auction, on

Bale Rooms, Queen's Road,-Delhi GOODS, comprising :-A Variety of Handsome SHAWLS, Dressing The GARRISON CUP, presented, for China GOWNS, SCARVES, SMOKING CAPS, Munils, and Japan ponies; weight for inches OUSHIONS, BLIPPERS Gold and Silver

LACE WORKS, and Sundry other EM-BROIDERED GOODS. Inlaid and Carved Sandalwood and Tooly Mr. Paule and Mr. Brooks Forniwang. TERMS OF SALE-Cash before delivery Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots.

with all faults and errors of description, at purchaser's rick on the fall of the hammer. J. M. ARMSTRONG. Auctioneer. 255 Hongkong, 23rd February, 1876.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

FRIDAY the 3rd day of March, 1876, at 2 o'clock P.M. at his Salo Rooms, Quren's Road .-An Invoice of English-made FURNITURE just landed, ex Carricks, trom London, com-

TABLES, Inlaid DAVENPORT.

Tollet GLASSES. Iron Single and Double BEDSTEADS, oreased her lead coming in enelly, Krentzer case Treasure (\$17,640.) Ohildren's COTS, &c., &c. TERMS OF SALE.—Uash before delivery in hard struggle between Forere and Pegasus for Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Ail Lots, third place. Time 4min. 422 cec. with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

256 Hongkong, 23rd February, 1876.

DDATH. At Hongkong, on February 20th, Mr. F. A. DE SOUZA, aged 55 years.

HONGKONG, HUBBUARY 25TH, 1876.

THE RACES.

Although the past weak or eight days have proved unusually dull, damp, and cheerless, and a similar state of things was prognosticated for the races, expectation was for once. talsified, and the weather on the oponing day proved all that could be wished. It is not desirable to have the sun shining in all his strength on such occasions, nor is it pleasaut the number of entries is noticeable this year, as last. Outdoor amusements in Hongkong are, it is to be feared, on the decline. The athletic sports have been given up; the regatta, formerly so popular, has also been abandoned; and the races, though still kept up with a good deal of spirit, yearly show a falling-off. This fact is traceable, no doubt in considerable measure, to the commercial depression which has so long prevailed in the Colony. It is to be hoped, however, that a change for the better in the state of trade may soon take place, when these sports would, in all probability, be entered into with all the zest of former times. There was a very fair attendance of ladies on the Grand Stand, considering it was the first, which is not the ladies day properly speaking. Amongst those present were His Excellency the Governor. Miss Kennedy, Captain O'Callaghan, Sir Harry and Lady Parkes, Sir Brooke Robertson, Sir John and Lady Smale, the Hon. J. Gardiner Austin, &c. There was about the usual sprinkling of navat and military officers, and the coast ports and Shanghai were pretty fairly represented in the concourse of spectators. The Band of Her Majesty's 28th Regiment was present on the ground, and performed at intervals during the afternoon,

Mr. Pomercy and Baron de Overbeck were the judges, and the Hon. P. Ryrie and Mr.

Manile, and Japan ponies; weight for inches ectrance \$5, with \$75 from the fund. Halls

Mr. Pye's Coronet, 11st. 4lb. Mr. St. Andrew's Daylight, 10st. 916 ....... Mr. Pauls Krantzer Hat Hib. Mr. Annfield's Fleetwing, 10st. 9lb

After several falce starte, in which Daylight courteous and kindly manners have drawn lways endeavoured to get to the front, a fair around him, in private life, a large circle of start was effected. Daylight again taking a friends; while the rare ability which he always slight lend with Krautzer second. At the brought to bear in the discharge of his prostraight Coronet which had bitherto kept third fessional daties has gained for him the admiraplace evertook Daylight and won easily. tion of very many not personally acquainted The ABBLEY CUP, value \$150, presented by F. returning about a year bence, and all will maite

Japan ponies; entrance \$5; weight for inches. Mr. Paul's and Mr. Brooks' Teenkwang.

head of Bennebic. The latter, however made sport on nearing the post and came in a good

The Hongkong DERBY, a Sweepstakee of \$20 empire. each, b.f. if declared on or before the closing of entries, with \$100 added for first pony and \$50 for second; for all China ponies bond fide griffics at date of entry; first, 70 per cent. second, 20 per cent, third, 10 per cent.

Mr. Grammont's Steambout.... Mr. Paul's and Mr. Brooks' Folly...... The Frairshon's Skian Dhu .......... Mr. Pye's Pimento.....

This was the one of the largest fields of the after considerable difficulty had been experithe great test point of the race. White Friar Magietrate yesterday for drunkenness and intook the lead, Steambout coming on with Folly sclence. The prisoner appears to have been the 1st day of March, 1876, at 2 P.M., at his drawing up for the third. This order was caught by the carpenter on board, who gave

> by three. Time 8 men. 31 sec. Manila, and Japan ponies; weight for inches; four ponies from opposing stables to start or no race: winner of the Aebley Cup 7ib. extra:

Fleetwing, with Rouble third. Oherokee did not ended in the assualt complehed of. immediately after starting. Teenswang led all the prisoner acted more like a beast than a the way. Time 2 min. 144 cec.

The FOOCHOW Cup, value \$250, presented by labour. the Foodbow community, for Obina, Manila. and Jupan ponies; weight for inches; entrance \$5. Two Miles. Mr. Cornabie's Black Satin, 11st, 11b.

Mr. Hookmeyer's Pogasus, Listalib. Air. Faulkner's Monitor, List. 11b...... This was a good race. The ponies got off Walnut Drawing Room SUITES, in Orimson, together and all ran well. Furors took the Blue, Green, and Striped Reps and Cretonne. lead, followed by Kreutzer, with Pegusus third, and London - Marble-top UHIFFONIERS, Bell Work Neuring the Black Book, Black Satin took se- For Marbilles 505 bales Silk, 25 cases Silks, cond place. Passing the St ad Ferore, Black 6 bales Cocone, 27, bales Waste Silk, 50 half-Walnut Toilet TABLES and Marble-top Satin, and Kreutzer were running an almost obests Ted and 366 cases Sundries. For WASHSTANDS, Mahogany Cheval GLASSES, neck and nick race, but before reaching London 380 bules Silks, 9 cases Silks, 149 half-Gilt MIRRORS, Birch Folding OHAIRS, the Black Rock the second round Black Satin chests Ten, 90 cases Essential Oil; 49 cases had drawn up to the front and gradually in- Sundries, Schoos Gold (5,152) cupoes); and 1 second, and Furors a good third. There was a

> (Canton winners excepted) previous to this -\$600 per share. Phree-quarters of a Mile.

Mr. St. Andrew's Grey Friar, 10st. 121b.... Mr. Paul and Mr. Brooks Folly, 10st, 12lb. Mr. Pyo's Pimento, 10st. 12b. Mr. Greig's Dividend, 10st, 91b... 

start was effected. Dimento drew from its Friar gotthe lead, and kept it to the end. Folly Time I mo, 41 sec. The Rubolph Cup, value \$150, presented by Shanghai Steam Navigation Company-Tla W. B. Landstein, Esq., for all China, Manila,

Mr. Marlborough's Pioneer, 11st. 4lb ...

trance \$5. One Mile and a Half. Mr. Pye's Soamp, 10at, 91b Mr. Fohkien's Rouble, 10st. 12lb ....

Mr. Paul's Silbergroschen, 11st. Ilb..... A very good start was made. Oberokee took the lead, but was boon running a neck and neck race with Rouble. Scamp, however, drew to

The Scorer STAKES, for China, Mapile, and Japan ponics, bond fide griffins at the date of entry; weight for inches; winners of one race at this meeting 71b, extra; of two, 10lb, extra; outrance \$5, with \$100 from the fund Three-quarters of a Mile. he GERMAN CUP, value 100 Guineas, presenter

by the German community, for China, Manila and Japin ponies; weight for inches; entrance The PARSE CUP, value \$150, presented by the Parace Community, for China, Manila, and Japan ponies; weight-for inches; winners of one race at this meeting 71b. extra: two. 101b. eitra; entrance \$5. Once round. The BANKERS CUP, value \$150, presented by the Baskers of Hongkong, for Obina ponies; weight for inches; previous non-starters to curry 12it.; entrance \$5. One Mile. be Phoresional Cup, value \$320, presented by the Professional Gentlemen of Hongkong.

for inobis; winners of one race at this meeting 7lb estra; two, 10lb extra; three, 15lb. extra : penalties accumulative ; previous nonstarters excladed; entranso \$10 (to go to second lony). Two Miles, The Exchange Cup, value \$200, presented by the Exchange Brokers of Hongkong, for China ponies : weight for inches : entrance \$5. One Mile and a quarter. the Welter Stakes of \$5 each, with \$100 from the fund, for Uhina, Manila, and Japan

for China, Manilu, and Japan ponies; weight

The Legislative Council will most on Monday ext, the 28th instant, at 2.30 p.m. Mr. Hayllar, Q.C., and Mrs. Hayling left for England by the French muil stenmer yesterday. A number of friends assembled at Peddure

ponies : weight 12st. Half a Mile

Wharf at eleven o'clock, and embarked with who went on board were the Honourable J. Brameton, Dr. O'Brien, Mr. Ed. Sharp, Mr. Price, Mr. Orengh, Baron do Cercal, &c. Before leaving the whart Mrs. Haylar was presented by the Garden Committee (of which Mr. Haviler has been a zealous member) with a handsone bouquet of flowers. During the years that Mr. Hayllar bee already been in the Colony bis intellectual acquirements and bis OXFORD TWILL and REGATTA with him. Mr. and Mrs. Hayllar intend

D. Sassoon, Beq., for Chins, Manila, and in wishing them a safe and pleasant voyage. LATEST TELEGRAMS.

> REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." LONDON, 21st February.

THE SUEE CANAL SHARES PURCHASE. The purchase of the Suez Canal Shares has son voted without a division. Means, Gladstone and Lowe attacked the details, but Mr. Disraeli defended it as political set calculated to strengthen the

THE CIVIL WAR IN SPAIN. The Alfonists are triumphant in Spain, and the Carlisti are flying to the frontier. THE PERMON ELECTIONS.

The French elections have resulted in triumph for the moderate Republicans, Only 61 Monarchists and 55 Bonspartiets have been returned. Buffet was defeated and has resigned. RESIGNATION OF THE UNITED STATES. MINISTER IN LONDON.

General Schenck has resigned on account of the impending Emma Silver Mine trial.

POLIUE INTELLIGENUE. 24th February.

BIFORE THE HON. C. MAY.

SELLING SPIRITS, WITHOUT A LICENCE. Chun Alice a bostman, was charged by Water maintained to the post, White Friar winning | evidence to that effect; and Mr. Orompton, the Their entire Stock of Cushmere, Sindh, and by two lengths, and Stenesboat leading Folly chief officer gave evidence in reference to the

seamon getting drunk. Inspector Grimes said the prisoner's licence The prismer was fined in the sum of \$100; Road. in default, three months hard labour, and bis boat to be cut into two and each half exhibited

on the Prays. This was an unexciting race. Four horses committing a violent assault. It appeared came up to the post, but a bad start was made from the evidence that there had been a quarrel in which Teenkwang took the lead, followed by of long standing between the parties which get away and Rouble fell out of the race slmost labe magistrate, after hearing evidence, said

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

man, and gratenged him to six months hard

THURSDAY, 24th February. Sales of Patna at \$605 to \$ 10, the latter figure being for select chests; of Beneres at \$575 to \$580, the latter figure being for enlect cheats, likuwise. No fresh settlements of Malwa-

EXPORT CARGORS. Per M. M. steamer Diemnah, for Marseilles.

The Cruz Cur, value \$150, for China, Manile, per cent, premium, ex dividend.
and Japan ponies that have never won a race Union Insurance Society of Canton, new shares meeting; weight for inches; entrance \$5. Ohing Traders Insurance Company's Shares-

號五十二月二英 港香 Ohina and Japan Marine Insurance-Tla. 59 per sbare.

per sbare. Shares-89 per cent. discount.

75 per share. and Japan ponies; weight for inches; en- Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-\$75 per Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares \$50 per Chinese Imperial Loan-£102.

> On London. Bank Bills, on demand....... 3/101 Bank Bille, at 80 days' sight 3/10 Bank Bills, at 6 months' sight 3/112 Dooumentary Bills, at Smonths' sight...... 8/114

Private, 80 days' sight ......... 73

Foong Shun to local trader. Wo Shun Hing to travelling trader, Potatos Flour-50 bags, at \$2.57, by Shun Shing to travelling trader. Kee to travelling trader.

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sidences in the Colony. FARM LOT 17. PORTOOLUM, adjoining

eet on the Prays, and with an area of 80,000 Reduced Annual Crown Rept. \$10. AT YOKOHAMA:-Lors No. 6 and No. 27 in the Foreign

No. 6 is situated on the Bund, and comprises an Eight-roomed Dwelling House, detached, with Garden all round, Offices, Godowns, Servanta Quarters, and Outhouses. Area 1.054 Tanbos of 36 square feet. Annual Ground Rent. \$253.79. No. 27 is separated from No. 6 by Water

Quarters, Stubling, and Jire Engine House. Area, 554 Tanbos. Ground Bent, \$154.97 per Annum. Applications for Purchase, or further In J. WHITTAIL.

Intimations. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON, wid SUEZ CANAL. THE Company's Steamship

" MENELAUS" will be despatched at 10 A.M. TO-MORROW, the 26th instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. 232 Hongkong, 25th February, 1876. OUEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAL. Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for

HANKOW, NINGPO, and PORTS in

JAPAN THE Company's Steamship "DIOMED" will be despuished at 11 AM. TO MORROY the 96th instrum For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. 233 Hongkong, 25th February, 1876. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. AAR. JAMES GREIG baving been granted IVI lonve of absence, Mr. Thomas Jackson

until further notice, AOT as OHIEF

By order of the Court of Directors JAMES GREIG,

MANAGER of this Corporation.

Chief Manager 14d 259 Hongkong, 23rd February, 1876. NOTIUE. AR. LEUNG TSUNG, alias OHU SHUN. lately an employe in the LEE CHING Snop, 24, Queen's Road, Hongkong, has not been employed there this year, and if he goes to any shops to get money, goods, &c., the Brown Sugar-300 bags, at \$3.30, by Ying Undersigned will not be held RESPONSIBLE

> is given in order to prevent any future dispute LEE CHING SHOP. 14d 254 Hongkong, 23rd February, 1876. O. ROGERS, DENTAL SURGEON, O. No. 7, ARBUTHNOT ROAD, (will be absent at Canton for a few days from the 28th instant.)

227 Hougkong, 16th February, 1876. C. THEVENIN, WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANT, AGENT for DE ST. MARCHAUX ET OTE'S.

CHAMPAGNES.

Depot for Vichy Waters,

N. ANTOINE ET FILS INES, &c., &c., 11, STANLEY-ST., & 44, QUEEN'S ROAD. FOR SALE-A BARGAIN. FIRST CLASS PRINTING MACHINE A quite new, and capable of printing 1,000

&c. &c., complete, and is in first rate working For further Particulars, address "P. P. H." care of the Office of this Paper. 212 Hongkong, 14th February, 1876. TANTED, a SITUATION, by a young

Gorman, as SERVANT-MAID to ac-

26 by 33 inches, manufactured by WILLIAM

DAWSON and Sons. Has Pointing Apparatus,

company a lady or family to Europe. Terms, Free Passage home. Address, "Home PAS-SAGE." Daily Press Office. 1m 195 Hougkong, 10th February, 1878. NOTIOE. In the Goods of GEORGE BARTY

FALCONER, Deceased.

A LL Persons having any CLAIMS against

the above Estate are requested to send in Particulars of the same to the Undersigned,

I. B. FALCONER. Administratric. Queen's Road. Hongkong. 6th December, 1875.\_\_\_[1796

A unclaimed Dividends, Interest, or Bonus,

the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAR BANK before the 1st APRIL, 1876, otherwise their Claims

1861. Hongkong, 20th December, 1875. Notices to Consignees.

GERMAN STEAMSHIP BELLONA, FICE-MEIER, Master, FROM HAMBURG DIA SINGAPORE. MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Steamer are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk in the Godowns of the Undersigned, from

Consignees wishing to take their Goods from the boats alongside the wharf are at liberty to Goods remaining in store after the 24th instant, will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary is given by 12 o'clock

on the 15th instant.

WM. PUSTAU & Co. OCTOBER, 1874.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

signed. Unless CLAIMED before the 1st of March, 1876, it will be SOLD to destray expenses. J. B. HOUR & Co. 16d 216 Hongkong, 14th February, 1876. BRITISH BARK MARINA, FROM LONDON.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named Vessel are bereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for Countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

and expense, ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Agents. tf 169 Hongkong, 5th February, 1876.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo per S.S. PELHO. are hereby informed that their Goods are buing landed and stored at their risks at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained from SATURDAY, the 12th inst., at

Goods romaining unclaimed after TUES-DAT, the 15th inst, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Acting Agent 200 Hongkong, 10th January, 1976.

Bolted Will ..... London ..... Dec. 37 Auction Sales To-day.

MOODS RECEIVED on STORAGE at moderate rates. Storage for KEROSINE OIL in approved Fire-Proof Godowns. TO LET A Two-STORIED GODOWN, with anmediate possession. THE HOUSE No. 109, QUEEN'S ROAD, POS-

PURDON & Co.

Gowos, Rampore and Delbi Shawle, Burnous, granted at the rates of Premium current at the and Sindh Gold Lace Work Goods, &c., So.

BACE HOLIDAYS.

For the OBIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

959, Cass, Saigon 19th February, Rice. For the Comproin D'Escompte DE Paris, CHR. DE GUIGNE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPUA DOOK

By Order of the Board: HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOC

be OLOSED from the 15th to the 29th

A N ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Company's Office, Queen's

FOR SALE. WELLING HOUSES No. 1 and No. 2

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL ORIETES AND SPECIAL ACTS OF PARLIAMENT. Established 1809. OAPITAL-22,000,000

tf 1063 Hongkong, 7th July, 1874. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

48t Hongkong, 8th January, 1875. MANUHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE OUM PANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON. I ME Undersigned have been appointed

THE Undersigned having been appointed

GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance GENERAL WEEKLY SALE.

SAUCES, PEARL BARLEY, TUM

I Drawing off MAJHINE, for Syphone and TERMS or Sale-Out before delivery in Merican Dollars weighed at 717. All Lots with all faults and errors of description, at pur-

obnsers rick on the full of the hammer. 258 Hongkong, 23rd February, 1876. PUBLIC AUCTION.

WARE, PIANO,

Besidence, "IDLE WILD." owing to change of residence,-BRACKETS, CARPETS, Window OUR,

Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lets. with all faults and errors of description, at purobasers' risk on the fall of the hammer.

FERNS, CAMELIAS, ROSES, AND OTHER

The whole of his Handsome and Substantiall made HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, com Handsomely Carved EBONY SIDE and

Handsome BOOKCASE, Carved SIDE. BOARD with Mirror back, GLASS and CROCKERY WARE, SILVER and ELEC. TRO-PLATED TABLE WARE, WHAT-

and BRASS BEDSTEADS, LAMPS, A GRAND PIANO, by J. BROADWOOD and

and the Furniture will be on view on MONDAY, TERMS OF SALE -Cash before delivery in

PUBLIC AUCTION. WEDNESDAY.

THE Undersigned bus received lustructions to Sell by Public Anction, on

Auctioneer.

Mr. Henry's Furore, Hat. lib. Mr. St. Andrew's Black Frier, 10st. 12b.... Mr. Sydney's Ober kee, 10st. 12h..... to sit on the Grand Stand exposed to chilling the front Cherokee falling behind, leaving the east winds and watch the "events" through a race between Scamp and Rouble. Scamp won thick misty rain, as not infrequently happens. by two lengths with Furore closely following Yesterday it was fine without being hot, and acc. At the time this race was run it had be- Ox Czloutta. -Bank, on demand 224 there was sufficient sun to give a little life come so dark that it was with difficulty the On Shanghal.and animation to the scene. A decrease in horses could be distinguished at any distance. PROGRAMME FOR THIS DAY.

The Wone MELCHONG STAKES, for China

Mr. Mouat's Tallapooea, Ilst. 1lb..... Mr. Fobkien's Benachie, 11st, 11b,.... Mr. Hookmeyer's Pegasus, 11st, 4|b.... A good start was effected. Bennehie took the lead, but on passing the stand was overtaken by Teenkwang who kept first piace throughout. Tallapoosa best up for second place and on passing the Black Book was several lengths a

weight, lost, 71b. One Mile and a Hulf. Mr. St. Andrew's White Friat.

day and proved a capital race. Of the horses which took the field Grey Frant was one, but TREMS OF SALE —Cash before delivery in enced in mounting him he threw his rider and Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, was withdrawn. After a number of fulse starts the above Company, are prepared to grant | mith all faults and errors of description, at pur- the horses got off well together, Poisson d'Ayril draw to the front and kept the lead past the Black Rock, Pisiento coming up as the ponise neured the village. Poisson d'Avril, however, Police Sergeant No. 49 with selling samshu kept the load past the Grand Stand, after to seamen in board the British ship Sir Harry THE Undereigned has received instructions which the field got well together again. Parkes. This was the man who caused three of from Messrs. Khan Chund Chund Chund Chund the Black Book the second time, the seamen to be brought before the Marine THE UNDERMENTIONED LAND and

entrance \$10. Once round.

Mr. Paul's Kreutzer, list. 11b.... Mr. Henry's Furore, list, 115

> SHARRS. Hongkong and Shanghar Bank Shares -- lormation, to be made to

Ohinese Insurance Company.—\$220 per share. Hougkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares— 8500 per share, ex dividend. Ohina Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$145 This was snother very good race. A fair Victoria Fire Insurance Company's Sharescompanions, but at the Black Rook Grey Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company's pressing dosely at the finish, passing Pimento. Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Co.'s

Shares 5 per cent. decount.

EXCHANGE. Oredits, at 6 months sight ... 6/11

SALES ON FEERVARY 24TH, AS REPORTED BY White Sugar-200 bags, at \$5.38; by Tai Dried Lily Flowers-10 bags, at \$6.30, by Bird's Nests-let quality, I cose, at \$1,520.00, Yes Shan Tai to travelling trader.

LAVE JUST RECEIVED, and are now SHOWING :-DRAB SHELL HATS CHRISTY'S BLACK AND DRAB FELT

The Four-in-Hand Club, Czar, and other New SILK and WOOL MUFFLERS. them in the Governor's barge. Among those including the Tandem, Camival, Clyde, Lothair,

> WALKING STICKS SILK UMBRELLAS.

WHITE KERSEYMERE. COLORED SILKS and SATINS.

for Ulster Over-Coats. These Goods made up to measure on the premises under the Supervision of Experienced European Cutters,

INLAND LOT 82.—The well-known House and Offices lately occupied by Mesers. A. HEARD & Co., adjoining the Cathedal Compound. The Ground below the masonry retaining was one number and the boat another number. wall of the above abutting on the Queen's

> Appual Crown Bent, \$79.78, Messrs, Butterfield & Swing's Premises. Annual Orown Rept. 325. AT KOWLOON --MARINE LOT 4 -- With a frontage of 100

Street, and comprises large Ten Firing and other Godowns, Flous Sitk Press, Compradore's

T. G. DINSTEAD, Trustees A. Heard & Co.'s Estate. 23, Queen's Roud, Hongkong. 142 Hongkong, 14t Pabraary, 1876.

for any debts contracted by bim. This Notice

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on or before the 29th Day of February, 1876, after which date no Claims will be recognised. And all Persons being indebted to the said Estate are requested to make Immediate Pay-

VICTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

OF HONGKONG, LIMITED.

IN LIQUIDATION.

are requested to present same for payment at

NOTICE, A LL Persons holding Warrants against

will not be recognised. ADOLF ANDRE. F. D. SASSOON,

whence delivery may be obtained.

222 Hongkong, 15th February, 1876. EX MONGOL (S.S.), ARRIVED 28TH ONE CASE LOO (in diamond). CASE of GLASSWARE, marked as above, is lying in the Godown of the Under-

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vesuel will be landed and stored at Consigness' risk

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES" MARITIMES. NOTICE

Bills of Ending will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

Australia, and the East.

an extent of \$20,000.

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of policy.

A BROKERAGE of THIRTY-THREE and ONE.

TRIED PER CENT. will be allowed on all LOCAL

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Policies granted on First-class Buildings to

A DISCOUNT OF TWENTY PER CENT. (20%)

LUBECK FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

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pany, are prepared to accept risks against Fire fore.

EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.

at current rates, subject to a discount of 20 f.

NORTH-GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY AT HAMBURG.

1 Hongkong, let January, 1874.

5m.82] General Agents.

ti 674 Hongkong, 1st May, 1874.

RUSSELL & Co.,

MELOHERS & Co. to apply at his Shop.

FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWN S. E. BURROWS & SONS. tf 455 Hongkong, 20th March, 1875. THE Fremises known as the "THE WOOD. L LANDS," newly painted and in Good REMEDIOS & Co. M 131 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1876. With Immediate Pussession, FIRE HOUSES, Nos. 2 and 4, Praya East. Two GODO WNS, Nos. 2 and 4, Praya East. The HOUSE No. 104, CAINE ROAD. All with Gas and Water laid on. Apply to SPANISH PROCURATION, 10. Caipe Rond. With Possession on 1st March next, THE Commodions and Centrally situated DWELLING HOUSE, at present in the For all particulars, apply to ROBERT G. ALFORD, Surveyor, Club Chambers. 1m 124 Hongkong, Slat January, 1876. With Immediate Possession, NIWO DWELLING HOUSES and OFFICES, the occupation of Messrs. RAYNAL & Co. The HOUSE, No. 35, Wellington Street, The STORE and PREMISES, Nos. 42 and warning. No. 1, Wyndham Street, with Stable attached. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. tf 1864 - Hongkong, 5th January, 1876. THE PREMISES lately occupied THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, FALCONER & Co. tf 1070 Hongkong, 7th July, 1875. TO. 5, ZETLAND STREET. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. tf 513 Hongkong, 7th February, 1876. With Immediate Possession. FIGHE Semi-detached RESIDENCES Nos. 1 and 2, WESTBOURNE VILLAS, Bonhaus bany," recently in the occupation of the Hou. HOUSES on Upper Mosque Terrace. All with Gas and Water laid on. A First-class GODOWN at Wanchi of about T. G. LINSTEAD. 1464 Hongkong, 12th January, 1876.\_ TO BE LET. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. 1473 Hongkong, 29th September, 1875. TONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. PAID-UP OAPITAL ..... 5,000,000 of Dollars. RESERVE FUND ...... 100,000 of Dollars. Court of Directors:-Chairman-E. R. BELILIOS, Esq. Deputy Chairman-AD. ANDRE, Esq. A. McIver, Esq. S. W. Pomeroy, Esq. F. D. Sassoon, Esq. Thief Alumayer. Hongkong-James Greig, Esq., Shanghai-Ewon Cameron, Esq. London Bankers-London and County Bank. HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. On Ourrent Deposit Accounts at the rate of I per cent, per annum on the daily balanco. For 3 months' 2 per cont. per annum LUCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits-granted on approved Sconnities, and every description of Banking and Exchange Drufts-granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. JAMES GREIG, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East, Hongkong, 17th February, 1876. YANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAL NOTICE. N and efter this date the above Association will allow a Brokerage of THIRTY. THREE and ONE THIRD PER CENT. 33 1/4) on Local Ricks only. if 1800 Hongkong, 4th June, 1874. WANG TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA. TION OF SHANGHAL. CAPITAL AND SURPLUS 800,000 TAEL I DOLAOIES granted on Marine Risks to parts of the World, at ourrent rates. This Association will, until further notice. provide out of the earnings, first for an interest dividend of 15%, for shareholders on Capital, and thereafter distribute among Policy holders annually, in cash, ALL the profits of the Underwriting Business pro rate to amount of

LIN TAR by falsely accusing them of being ongaged in the nefarious trade of selling people for the purposes of emigration, and that in their transactions they were in fact kidnappers. And finally, he recorded the same in the Town Wan Yat Po (the Universal Virculating) Herald), so that Messes. Tsand and Woo had thought of suing him before the local authorities, so that be might be punished for libelling people's character. Fortunately for him, however, LAI MING ONUN learnt in time of his own wrong in slandering the character of good men, and now he has columntarily consented to pay the penalty of bearing the legal expenses in the sum of \$600. and to pay also (into the poor box) \$25, for the relief of the Hongkong poor; also, from his L Nos. 14 and 16, Stanley Street, lately in funds, to pay dosts of inserting in the Chinese. and foreign newspapers, three of cash, for the period of one month, an article, in order to lately in the occupation of Mesers. Rose & Co. redeem bimself from what he has been guilty The DWELLING HOUSE and OFFICES, of. But this, nevertheless, would not uctually No. 1, Stanley Street, lately in the occupation be sufficient to cover the enormity of his ain. The reason why Messrs. Tsang and Woo con-The DWELLING HOUSE, No. 4, Alexandra | descend to these terms was because they had been advised by intimate friends, who urged Apply to the The STORE and DWELLING HOUSE, that, inasmuch as both parties were Chinamen. No. 31, Queen's Read, lately in the occupation bow could they, Messie. Tsand and Woo, have 1209 Hongkong, 6th August, 1875. of Miss GARRETT.

The HOUSE and OFFICES, No. 3, D'Agui- a gaol of the foreigner? So that it would be lar Street, lately in the occupation of Mr. F. far better that they should forgive him, but inflict a small penalty by way of a small 44, Queen's Road, lately in the occupation of . It is happened, luckily, that Mesara. Talke N.B.-Price Lists and Samples on application and Woo's magnanimity proved to be as ex-935 Hongkong, 16th June, 1875. The Ground and First-floors of the HOUSE pansive as the sea and as capacions as the cosan, and it was thus that the matter was put an end to. This is sufficient to show that Mesers. Tsang and Woo are peaceful and quiet mon, and that they have done a very good act. But LAI MING OHUN is a man who is very much conceited (lit," the night pedeatries who thinks a great deal of himself), and one who falsely dilutes in satire and raillery. He began life in a very mean position, and is not of a respectable family (lit the descendant of the pure and white). While in a mental position, he, moreover, offends his superiors. Therefore it would not be arbitrary were he to be basished beyond: the frontiers, nor would it be too much were . PORTER. be to be put to the sword (lif under the axe). Now that he is only fined in so small a sum, it is indeed his good fortune that herbas escaped greater consequences. ONE WHO UPHOLDS JUSTICE. \* This, has reference to a Chinese story, which, in its moral, is very similar to the Frog The HOUSE at the west end of "The Al. and Bull story in Asop's Fables. Translator. THE TOURIST'S GUIDE. 1m 243 Hongkong, 19th February, 1876. Trade, objects of Natural History, Turniture, NOTIOE. &c., &c., with the Punti, and Mandarin Pronun-MAN'S character should be judged from A what it has been before, and by that means elegance or worthlessness can be dis-Obinese Language, in two Parts. cerned. A story should be judged by its true or false bearings, so that right and wrong may (1) HE Undersigned have been appointed bole be distinguished. These remarks apply to the case in which Messrs. TSANG SHUN YEE and Hongkong and China by Mesars. J. & R. TRN-Woo LIN TAK were, on the 27th day of the THE HOUSE No. 7, Gough Street. Apply 10th moon last year (24th November, 1875), Henr, Glasgow, and Mesers. David Consan & the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will be all the Current Local Rates of Premis will slundered by LAI MING OHUN. Messrs. Tsang Sun Yen and Woo Lin Tak have been residing for more than ten years in Hongkong, and have always been employed in representing Num Pak Bougs in their trans- STRAHLE AND CO.'s STANDARD actions with foreigners. While their character BILLIARD TABLES, stands high; their conduct is excellent, and they have for a long time back been respected by both Chinese and foreigners. They have not only not borne a name that is approaching The best and only reliable Tables Manufactured. to anything improper, but they have not in the course of all their actions done anything objectionable. Unexpectedly, however, slander came upon them unawares, but of course, when virtue stande high, reproach, will come. They were therefore falsely charged by Lai Mine by the following Scientific Judges, whose do-CHUN'S letter, which was void of all truth, cision is certainly worthy the consideration of with selling people for emigration abroad. Amateurs: A. Garaier, Ubarsy, Vignaux, The They are indeed labouring under a false im. Dions, A. P. Budolph, Muurice Daly, A. putation from which it is now difficult for them Kraker, &c., &c., as the only PERFECT BILto clear themselves. Our Office, therefore, in LIARD CUSHION OF THE DAY. punishing LAI MING OHUN for having done | The largest and finest stock of Billiard Table what he ought not to have done, orders him - ever displayed in this city, and with increased and he consents-to pay the sum of \$600, the facilities for manufacturing, we are prepared to amount of legal expenses; he has also by way cell at a GREAT REDUCTION on Former Prices. of punishment to pay \$25 into the poor box First Class New Inlaid Bevel Table ... \$325.00 for the benefit of the Hongkong poor. He is First Class New California Bevel Table 850.00 further punished by having to pay the expenses of advertising in the Chinese and foreign newspapers in the Colony, three of each, for the pariod of one month, a notice which will bring before the public his sin in this defamation. Reparations like these will, perhaps, allay in a NEW, ATTRACTIVE, AND BEAUTIFUL measure the judignation which Messra. TSANG and Woo feel. When a man finds fault with others he ought; in the first instance to enquire whether he himself is unblemished. Now LA: MING CHUN, AS PIGEON-HOLE TABLES-New, Plais ... a min, is not one who is numbered among the gentry, nor is his name pronounced by the lips of the illustrious. Yet he falsely dilates in word of mouth stories to the defilement and punished by the atmost pensity of the law. For- the prices. tunately, bowever, Mesors. Tsand and Woo's magnanimity is expansive as the sea and as capacions as the ocean, and they deal with people liberally | with that ond in view, they therefore. prefer, instead of punishing bim, as he rightly deserves, to forgive him of the enormous crime RUSSELL & Co. Agents, of which he has been guilty. Having coased litigation now, they have no recentment against friendly tie that exists amongst the Chinese clans. They have also shown that in doing this they are inflicting a lenient panishment for the sake of a great warning. They are indeed fully sustaining the benivolent principles of the great men, and for this act of thems. may the bappiness (for good fortune) of Messre. Thang and Woo never grow loss. THE UNIVERSAL OIHOULATING HERALD (TSUN WAN YAT PO). 1m 244 Hongkong, February 19th, 1876. TAKASIMA COLLIEBY. JARDINE, MATHESON AND Co., AGENTA. RUSSELL & Co., lote to suit Purchasers. Large, hand-picked, doubled-screened at \$8 per Ton; Small, at \$6 per Ton. T. G. GLOVER. No. 7. Queen's Road, and at East Point to 1787 Hongkong, 4th December, 1875. TOHN SKINKER, SAN FRANCISCO OALIFORNIA.

Sole Agent on the Pacific Coast lov

NOTICE.

Hongkong, 23rd February, 1874.

WING KEE COAL SHOP.

Intimations.

NOTICE IN EXPLANATION OF A

SLANDER.

THE principles of right or wrong will reveal

saying is clearly set forth in the History of

themselves in course of time, and this

If a man is not guilty of anything seriously wrong, is it likely that he will submit himself

SAME-New Style, finished in Laurel BALLS, OLOTHS, QUES, AND slanderous language and apreads diffusedly by Everything Appentaining to Billiabds. The well known reputation of our Old Estapollution of (the good name of) Mesara TSANG blished House is n sure guarantee to the and Woo. It was right therefore that Mesars. Purchaser against mis-representation. Before Tsane and Woo sought to sushim in the Courts parchasing elsewhere, we invite the trade and of Justice, and he was on the eve of being the public to examine our Stock and compare JACOB STRAHLE AND CO., 533. MARKET STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, OALIFORNIA. NOW ON SALE. IMPEBIAL QUARTO. any one, and by so doing, they oberish the ENGLISH AND CHINESE DIOTIONARY, PUNTI AND MANDARIN PRONUNCIATION: An Anglo-ORINESE DICTIONARY, published at the Daily Press Office, Hongkong. MOR comprehensiveness and practical service this Work stands unrivalled. All the new words which the Chinese have of late years been compelled to coin to express the numerous objects in machinery, photography, telegraphy, and in science generally, which the rapid advance of foreign relations has imposed upon them, are will be made on the premium charged on a here given in entence. Each and every word is Insurances, such RETURN being payable on the fully illustrated and explained, forming exer- issue of the Policy. oises for students of a most instructive nature. TIOR SALE, Freeh TAKASIMA COAL, in Both the Court and Punti pronunciations are the best principle hitherto attained. The typegraphy displays the success of an attempt to make the Chinese and English type correspond in the size of body, thereby effecting & vast sonomy of space, achieving a clearness not previously attained, and dispensing with those vast margins and viscant spaces which have heretofors characterized Chinese publications. 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THE DAILY PRESS, PRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25th, 1876. Vessels Advertised as Loading. TO BE DEBLATCHED FOR FREIGHT APPLY T VESSEL'S NAME OAPTAIN-DESTINATION To morrow, at 10 A.M. Hongkong Butterfield & Swire ...... Chius. When undus reliance is placed on LONDON as SUEZ CANAL Menelaus (etr.) Quick despatch. Quick despatch. On lat prox, at 8 P.M. P. M. S. B. Co. ..... On 15th prox., at S P.M. .. Quick despatch. Lathley Rich ......... Thos. Mitchel ..... Hongkong Vogel, Hagedorn & Co....... Quick despatch. .. |Qoiok despatch. With regard to LAI MINE CHYN, he is PORTLAND (OREGON) ...... Bambel G. Reed ..... White ...... Quick despatch. Soey Shing To-morrow, at 8 P.M. Longkong Yuen Fat Hong ..... indeed a bare-faced fellow, and one who has no | SAIGON .. On 2nd prox at noon. 10th Moon last year (24th November, 1875), be SINGAPORE, BOMBAY, &c. ... Golconda (str.) Anderson Hougkong Remedios & Co..... .To-morrow, at noun., Garcenn .... Hongkong Wieler & Co..... Quick despatch Do ...... Caro us Maguus. Thos Miles ... Hongkong Messageries Maritimes.....Quick despatch; YOKOHAMA......Tanais (str.)..... Reynier ... HongkongtP. & O. S. N. Co. ......Qnick despatch. Malacea (atr.)..... Messageries Maritimes..... Quick despatch. Tigre (str.) ...... Branet ..... Hongkong Butterfield & Swire ..... To-morrow, at 11 A M. SHANGHAI..... Diomed (str.) P. & O. S. N. Co..... Onick despatch Toheran (str.) . On 27th inst., daylight. Hongkong Donglas Lapraik & Co..... SAWTOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW Yesso (str.) ...... Ponchard ..... .. Quick despatch. Vessels on the Berth. Instrances. for Sale. FOR MANILA. QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE French Steamer FOR SALE. UST RECEIVED, some very Old Superior THE Undersigned are prepared to GRANT POLICIES AGAINST FIRE to the PORT WINE, in Cases of One or Two extent of 45,000 Dollars on Buildings or on Garcean, Master, will be despatched to the Goods stored therein, at Current Local Rates, above Port TO MORROW, the 26th inst., at J. J. DOS REMEDIOS & Co., eubject to a Discount of 20 % on the promia. 1ni 225 Hongkong, 15th February, 1876. DELICIOUS GINGER BRAND SPIRITS of WINE, for Lamps, 17 8 Hongkong, January, 1876. FOR BANGKOK. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. \$3 per Dozen. THE Steamship

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tf 1028 Hongkong, 1st July, 1874. BUN FIRE OFFICE. THE Undersigned is prepared to Grant Policies against Fire to the extent of Agenta for the Sale of their Goods in \$45,000 on First-class Risks. A Discount of Twenty per cent. (20 %) upon lowed upon Insurances effected with this Office. T. G. LINSTEAD, Agent, Sun Fire Office. 1335 Hongkong, 26th August, 1874.

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DOSITIVE GOVERNMENT SECURITY LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. OHAS, H. MORGAN, ly 944 Hongkong, 18th June, 1875. LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAD

TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE. 137, LEADENHALL STREET, LONDON ESTABLISHED 1843. THE Undersigned is authorised to accept risks on behalf of this Office, by Firm Class Steamors and Sailing Ships. A. MolVER, Agent tr. Honekone let July. 1867. TRANSATIANTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

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THE SCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE COMPANY THE Undersigned, having been appointed after her arrival with the next English Mail. Agent in Hongkong for the above-named Company, is prepared to GRANT POLICIES

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Agents for the above Company, are pro-pared to GRANT INSURANCES at Convent Captain Hopkins, will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 26th inst., at For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG, 5d 251 Hougkong, 22nd February, 1876.

> Captain Punchard, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 27th instant, at

> For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co 3d 261 Hongkong, 24th February, 1876. FUR AMOY, TAKAO, AND TAMSU THE Steamship "LEONOR." Captain Diaz, will have immediate despatch for

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. 253 Hongkong, 22nd February, 1876. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES: PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

the moore Ports.

THE Company's Steamship TANAIS." Captain Reynier, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of the next French G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Acting Agent.

248 Hongkong, 21st February, 1876. NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

Captain Brunet, will be despatched for shortly after her arrival from Europe,

G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Acting Agent. 249 Hongkong, 21st February, 1876. FOR SAIGON. THE Steamship

"FERONIA." ill have quick despatch for the above Port. For Freight or Passage, apply to SOLY SHING, Bonham Strand. 7d 245 Hongkong, 21st February, 1876. STRAM TO YOKOHAMA.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "MALAUUA" will leave for the above place shortly after the arrival of the S.S. Teheran with the next English Mail. A. McIVER, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co 's Office,

Hongkong, 18th February, 1876. [238] STEAM TO SHANGHAI. Taking Cargo at through rates to NAGASAK and HIOGO. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"TEHERAN" will leave for the above place about 24 hours A. MoIVER, Superintendent Hongkong, 18th February, 1876. FOR MANILA.

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Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. of the 29th instant. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day. All Murch, at 3 P.M., with the Mails-Purcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Beturn Passago Tickets available for months are issued at a reduction of 20 per cent.

on regular rates. Praya West. G. B. EMORY. Acting Agent.

Hongkong, 3rd February, 1876. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA,

BRINDISI, ANGONA, VENICE, MEDI. TERRANEAN PORTS, SOUTHAMPTON, AND LONDON; BOMBAY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "GOLCONDA," Captain ANDERSON, With Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places on

THURSDAY, the 2nd March, at Noon. Cargo will be received on board until Noon Specie and Parcels at the office antil 2 P.M. on the lat idem. For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF

PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED. A Written Declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shipp's to the Company's Agents, with the Billsof rading or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold theniselves responsible for any Detention or Prejudice which may happen from the incorreciness on such declaration.

Shippers of cargo for Boinbay are requested to take note, that the Steamers leaving Hongkong in correspondence with the Australian Steamers from Galle to Bombay, may sall at Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company Black Bills of Lading.

A. McIVER, Superintendent. Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation General tost-Office, Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 17th February, 1870. Hongkong, 18th 1 U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY LAND BAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE S.S. " GREAT REPUBLIO" will leave Hongkong for San Francisco, via Yoko. bams, on WEDNESDAY, the 15th March, 1876, at 3 P.M., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe. Through Passenger Tickets and Bills of Lading are issued for transportation to Yokoto ports in Mexico, Central and South America, lows, viz.:-

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G. B EMORY. Aching Agent. Hongkong, February 15th, 1876.

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UND GUSS-STAHL FABRICATION, IN BOOHUM (GERMANY). CAST STEEL WORKS. THE Undersigned have been appointed SOLE

AGENTS in OHINA for the above Esta-J. W. MULLER & Co. 9m 59 Shanghai, 1st January, 1876. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

PROM this date, and until forther notice.
Mr. G. DE CHAMPEAUX will act at this port as AGENT of the above Company. By Order of the Directors,

125 Hongkong, 30th January, 1876. HHE Interest and Responsibility of the late L Mr. Sidney Deagon in our Firm CHASED on the 9th September last. Mr. ALFRED T. DUTAL was ADMITTED a PARTNER therein on the 1st January, 1876. DEACON & Co. 1m 176 Conton, lat February, 1876,

WE have established BRANCHES of our FIRM at HAIPRONG and HANGE Mr. E. CONSTARTIN 's authorised to Sign by procuration in Tonquin. LANDSTEIN & Co. 3 Hongkong, let January, 1876.

HAVE This Day authorized Mr. J. Y. V. I SHAW to SIGN my NAME per procura-A. MACG. REATON. 8 Hongkong, 1st January, 1876. NOTIOE.

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For Yokohama and Hiogo,—Per Columbian, to-day, the 25th inst., at 9.30 Aim. For Hoilo -Per Christine, to-day, the 25th nat., at 11:30 A.M. For Shanghai - Per Diomed, to-morrow, the 20th inst, at 10.30 A.M. For Cooktown and Sydney .- Per Ly ee moon, to-morrow, the 26th mat., at 11.30 A.M.

For Manils.—Per America, to-morrow, the 26th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Manila,-Per Gunya, to morrow, the 26th inst. at 11.30 A.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow.-Per Yesse, to morrow, the 20th inst., at 12 noon. For Bangkok .- Per Rajanattianuhar, tomorrow, the 26th inst., at 12 noon. For Cooktown .- Per Mecca, on Monday, the 28th inst., at 1.30 P.M.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES! PACKET. The United States Mail Packet OCEANIC will be despitched on WEDNESDAY, the lat For Yokohama, San Francisco, the United States, and the United Kingdom. The Post Oillos will be open for the reception

of Ordinary Letters, Books, Newspapers, &c., Letters can be posted on board the Packet For further information as to Freight or from 2.30 P.M. to 2.50 P.M., on payment of a Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, Late Fee of 12 cents in addition to the Postage. The Prepayment of the Postage to all the above places by this route is compulsory. Correspondence insufficiently prepaid will be forwarded by the English Packets. . Correspondence addressed to Yokohama and

the United States must be superscribed per OUBANIO, and that addressed to the United Kingdom must be superscribed "vid San Francisco." ALFRED LISTER,

Postmaster General.

General Post Office, Hongkong, 17th February, 1876. MAILS BY THE ENGLISH PACKET. The English Contract Packet GOLOONDA, will be despatobed with the Mails for Europe,

&o., on THURSDAY, the 2nd March. The following will be the hours of closing the Maile. do. Wednesday, 1st March, 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes.

6 P.M., Post Office closes except the NIGHT Box which remains open all night. Thursday, 2nd March,

7 A.M. Post Office opens for sale of Stamps, Registry of Letters, and Post, ing of all correspondence. 10 A.M., Post Office closes except for Liste Letters. Registry of Letters ceases.

10.15 A.M., Letters may be posted on payment of a LATE FEE of 18 cents extra Postage, until

11 A.M., when the Post Office CLOSES 11.30 A.M. Letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via Brindisi, or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet on payment of a

Late Fee of 48 cents extra postage. 11,50 A.M., Posting on Board ceases. ALFRED LISTER, Postmuster-General.

Houghong, 18th February, 1876.

The Post Office of Victoria (Australia) having given notice to the General Post Office in London that articles of Jewellery received in that Colony are chargeable with Customs Duties, THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER- | the undersigned considers it necessary to make this Regulation known to the Public, and to state that any letters or packets containing such articles sent through the Post are liable. with their contents, to be forfeited.

which Mails for London arriving at Sucz trom China by Private Ships will be forwarded to destination via Brindisi, it is horeby notified that the rates of postage, which must be paid in advance, on correspondence addressed to the hama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, United Kingdom so forwarded, will be as fol-For Letters ..... 24 cents per half ounce

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Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, a Parcel Post by which such articles as Fane, Curios, Silk Dresses, Scarves, Jewellery, Arti, ficial Teeth, &c., can be forwarded at low rates. It cannot be too distinctly stated that such things can only be sent as Letters, and the very cheapest rate is 12 cents per half onnes by Private Steamer. All such packages should be Registered (8 cents). If the Parcel be heavy it can be sent through one of the Parcel Expresses conducted by Mesars. LAWE, CRAWFORD, or Mr. W. H. NOTLEY, which, for anything over 4 or 5 ounces, will be found cheaper than the

> Arrangements have been made for the Rogistration of Correspondence exchanged between the United States of America and this Colony by Pacific Mail Packets of the Occidental and Oriental Steam Ship Company. The Registration Fee is 8 cents for each letter, over and above the Postage. This fee, as well as the Postage, must be prepaid. No letters can be Registered after 2 P.M. on the day of departure of the Mail.

> Correspondence for New Zealand vid Torres A considerable amount of Correspondence being received directed to Now Zealand vid Torres Straits it is notified that the New Zenland Post Office has declined to receive Muils by that route, hence there is no alternative but o forward such Correspondence vid Gallo. Persons who are auxious to avail themselves of the Torres Straits Steamers to communicate with New Zealand should address their letters Ac., to the care of an Agent at Sydney.

> His Excellency Governor Sir ARTHUR ED. WARD KENNEDY, K.C.M.G., C.B., is pleased to direct that the following revised Rates of Postage (including those notified on the 15th instant,) be published for general information. France and Algeria vid Brindisi, ... 12 per 1 oz.

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Thos. Mitchel, Master, will load for the above M ADMITTED a PARTNER in our Firm in the Table of Rates duted the 1st instant, and The ke they upply. As some misapprehension exists regarding

of JANUARY, 1876, in the Business of SHIP. through the Post, it is hereby notified for BROKERS at this Port, under the style of general information, that the Privilege of send. of postage applicable to them is restricted to bond fide Trade Patterns or Samples of Merchan. dise. Goods sent for Sale, or in excention of an order (nowever small the quantity may be), or any articles sent by one private individual to another which are not notually patterns of samples, are not admissible.

The Postmaster at San Francisco bas given notice that letters despatched from this Colony (whether through the Post Office, or as consignees' letters) by the United States Mail Packets, will not be forwarded to-any places not within the United States unless the proper-Postage from America to such places be prepaid in American Postage Stamps, but will be returned to this Office. Such letters should either be prepaid in both Hongkong and American Stamps as above, or

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